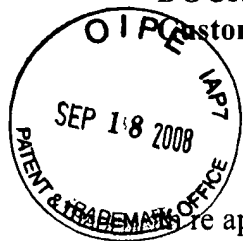


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Re application of : Darryn McDade, et al.

U.S. Serial No. : 09/207,136

Filed : December 8, 1998

For : SYSTEM AND APPARATUS FOR DIGITAL AUDIO/VIDEO
DECODER SPLITTING SIGNAL INTO COMPONENT DATA
STREAMS FOR RENDERING AT LEAST TWO VIDEO SIGNALS
(AS AMENDED)

Group No. : 2621

Examiner : Huy Thanh Nguyen

Confirmation No. : 6383

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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 15, 2008
(and Advisory Action dated August 21, 2008) of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims
1-8, 11-20, 25-27 and 31-33 .

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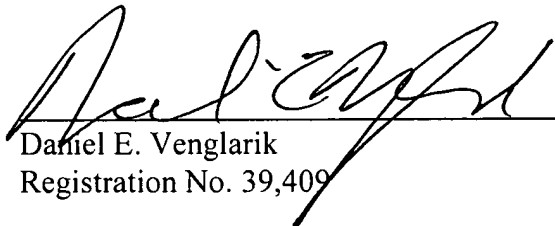
Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension of time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the final Office Action dated April 15, 2008. The response period is presently set to expire on July 15, 2008, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be September 15, 2008.

A check in the amount of \$970.00 is enclosed for the Notice of Appeal filing fee (\$510.00) and two-month extension fee (\$460.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

Respectfully submitted,

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